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Want to add a new sparkle to your personality? Feel the urge to buy something new and exciting for your Spring wardrobe, but don't know where to begin? That new addition is as near as Newberry's, corner of Sartori and El Prado. It's a hat!

J. H. Paget, manager, has just received a shipment of hats from at least a dozen top brand companies. These creations, which surpass anything that the store has ever had, will delight and excite the early Spring shopper. A different assortment of the latest styles and color will arrive every week until Easter, and no two hats are exactly alike. For that special Spring fashion show or Easter tea, these fashionable chapeaus will add just the right touch to that new Spring outfit. Or a new

hat may be the answer to those Spring house cleaning blues. For example, there are wide-brimmed, sophisticated hats; small clutch types with colorful flowers or other trim; or plain, conventional hats. All will lend distinction to your wardrobe. And, these new creations are for sale at phenomenally low prices. None are priced over \$2.98 and some are available for as little as \$1.98. Whether it be a fashion show, tea, or merely a desire for something new, the smart shopper can't afford to miss this opportunity. Adv.

TEACHER GIVEN BRIDAL SHOWER

Miss Evelyn Buckley, faculty representative of the 186th Street school PTA, was the honored guest at a bridal shower given by the executive board on Thursday, January 19. Mrs. Ruth Engdahl, school principal, kept Miss Buckley occupied with non-essential reports while the board members decorated the teachers' room with pink net hearts and a centerpiece depicting a bride and groom. White camellias completed the arrangement, with a wristlet of camellias for the guest of honor. A luncheon was served by the board members, and games were played under the direction of Mrs. W. S. Stewart. After Miss Buckley opened her gifts, the executive board gave her a souvenir scrapbook to commemorate the occasion. Present were Meses Herman Eisenbeis, president; F. C. Beech, Guy Cels, Billie Lewis, Hugh Allen, J. T. Evans Jr., W. S. Stewart, Frank Daddi, James Ellis, Phillippe Major Sam Tanihara, Tom Nakowski, Floyd Phillips, Edward Stevenson, James McMillen, Jay Takahashi, Phillip Guches, Edward Patton and Misses Ruth Engdahl and Evelyn Buckley; also Robert Lyon, vice-principal and Mr. Richard Evans, auditor.

Women . . .

Club News Society News
DURFEE PARKINS, Women's Editor

GERALDINE WOOD AND GAREY PERKINS WED

Miss Geraldine Wood, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Parrish, 405 Via Linda Vista, Hollywood Riviera, became Mrs. James Garey Perkins, Sunday, January 20, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Redondo Beach.

In a ballerina length wedding gown of pink satin and lace, the bride was given away in marriage by her father. The bouffant skirt and scooped necklined characterized the stylish gown accented by a small pink satin hat with a short veil. She carried a white Bible complemented by white camellias tied with white satin streamers.

Rev. Paul Cox solemnized the ceremony before a small gathering of the immediate family. Sister-in-law of the bride, Mrs. James F. Wood, was the matron of honor. She attended the bride in a stunning beige light wool afternoon dress with matching hat. James Wood, the bride's brother, was best man.

The couple left for a honeymoon in San Francisco after the wedding reception held at the Plush Horse restaurant, Redondo Beach. The bride received her teaching credential from Long Beach State college after graduating from the University of Southern California's School of Commerce. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority and Gamma Alpha Chi, retailing sorority. She has also been an active member of the Torrance Junior Woman's club. Mrs. Perkins taught at the Riviera Elementary school and has been associated with her father for the past two years at Parrish Stationers, 1423 Marcelina.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olfred Leroy Perkins of Bakersfield. He graduated from Bakersfield high school and California Polytechnic institute. He is now employed by the California Highway patrol in Barstow, where he and his wife will reside. Other members of the family

Charity Ball Committee Visits Clubs

A committee headed by Mrs. John Stevens attended industry and service club meetings this week in an effort to enlist support for the Torrance Hospital auxiliary's sixth annual charity Valentine's Ball on February 9.

They stressed the entertainment value of the gala winter formal, described the elaborate red and gold decorations that will deck the halls of the Mayflower ballroom, Inglewood, and tantalized prospective ticket buyers with the chance of winning a \$500 treasure chest. Sidney Zaid and his Hollywood orchestra will play for dancing.

Aiding Mrs. Stevens were Meses Grover Whyte, industry chairman, and R. S. Sleeth, Jr.; P. Roetter; J. C. Schwartz; W. C. Crooker; A. L. Pyeatt; R. W. McNell; John Beeman; George Stevens, and Frank Kelley.

One room of the ballroom will be set aside for card-playing, according to Mrs. R. A. Bingham, general chairman, and the traditional after-hours buffet supper will be served to all guests. Mrs. Don Hyde is buffet chairman.

Reservations for the event may be made by contacting ticket chairman, Mrs. R. W. Niel.

at the wedding included Erica and Stephen Wood, niece and nephew of the bride, and the grooms grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, Bakersfield.

Miss Carolyn Mallo and McCleary Peckham Married

Miss Carolyn Jean Mallo, whose engagement was announced last November after she returned from a vacation in the Hawaiian islands, was married Saturday, January 19, to Lt. McCleary A. Peckham.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mallo, 1121 Cerise, and the groom, son of Mrs. M. A. Peckham, 1013 8th st., Manhattan Beach, exchanged vows at the Nativity Catholic church. Father Patrick McGuinness performed the ceremony.



Jubilant Pair

Lt. and Mrs. McCleary A. Peckham exchanged wedding vows Saturday, January 19, at the Torrance Catholic church. Mrs. Peckham is the former Carolyn Jean Mallo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Mallo, 1121 Cerise.—Crotty Photo

Her gown was of white lace, ballerina length, designed along princess style lines. White velvet streamers beginning in the front and extending to the back highlighted the simple, but elegant wedding dress. The bodice featured a scooped neckline and capped sleeves. Her veil was short and distinguished by scattered balls of white, tufted material. She carried a white orchid bouquet.

Twins Janice Brimley, maid of honor, and Jean Brimley, bridesmaid, wore princess style bouffant dresses of blue and pink chiffon, respectively. Their ballerina length dresses were short sleeved with a scooped neck. Nicholas Pappas was best man and Ray Wenger ushered the guests to their seats.

Mrs. Mallo chose a light gray suit with a fur collar for her daughter's wedding, a rainbow colored hat, and a pink rosebud corsage. Mrs. Theresa Peckham wore a sheath ensemble in shades of gray and a duster lined with red. She also had a red rosebud corsage.

A reception was held at the bride's home before they left for a honeymoon in Idyllwild. She is a graduate of Torrance High school, 1955, and has been employed at Northrop Aircraft, Inc., since her graduation.

The groom graduated from Loyola University and completed the Air ROTC program there. He is a Second Lieutenant in the Air force training to be a jet pilot, stationed in Laredo, Texas.

TORRANCE HIGH GAA AWARD BANQUET HELD

The Girl's Athletic association of Torrance High school held its semi-annual mother and daughter banquet, Tuesday, January 15, in the high school cafeteria.

Highlight of the evening was authentic Hawaiian entertainment presented by a troupe of Polynesian performers featuring the Knife dance and Torch dance by Moana Fiafia.

Doris Avis and Joan Wootton, GAA sponsors, narrated movies taken during their three week vacation in the Islands.

The cafeteria was decorated with palm fronds, banana leaves, white pompons, iris, daisies and red ginger, anthurium, tea leaves, and kau kau leaves flown direct from Hawaii. On the walls were posters of various Hawaiian scenes. And the head table had place mats of paper which were exact copies of the Hawaiian tapa cloth.

Miss Avis and Miss Wootton presented two-star letters to 5 GAA members; others received one-star letters, and 7 girls received their letters.

Carl P. Ahee, principal of Torrance high, presented the outgoing president, Carol Isabelle with a pin and Ruth McCune gave her an engraved gavel, a gift from her cabinet. Miss Avis and Miss Wootton were then presented with personally engraved loving cups on behalf of the cabinet and the entire GAA.

New officers were presented orchid leis in true Hawaiian fashion. They are: Miss McCune, president; Rachel Hogan, vice-president; Madlyn Hensley, secretary; Marsha Ivata, treasurer; Audrey Nicksich, historian; Judy Black, recording secretary; Verne Christofferson, reporter; Diane Wayt and Pat Travis, cheer leaders; and Pat Wootter, Emily Greer, Gail Ashton, and Sharon Hale, sports managers.

Tuesday, February 5, the Southwest PTA of Oral Education will meet at the Anderson School, 4110 W. 154th st., Lawndale. Mrs. Alathena Smith, who is a specialist in parent education at the John Tracy clinic, and a clinical psychologist, will speak on "The Role of the Parent in Child." All parents of deaf children, or parents interested in helping the deaf child are urged to attend. The public is invited.

HAM DINNER: The regular monthly ham dinner will be served at St. Catherine Labourer Church hall, 3846 Redondo Beach Blvd., Saturday, February 2, from 5-8 p.m. Third grade mothers of St. Catherine's school will sponsor this dinner. Mrs. Joyce McKindley is chairman.

HOME CARD PARTY: Mrs. Joseph Terkmany, grand regent, and Mrs. Lyle J. O'Hara, of Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, will co-host a home card party, Thursday, February 7, at Mrs. O'Hara's home, 1615 Fern ave.

NEWS IN BRIEF

BEAU JARDIN: A special meeting of the Beau Jardin club will be held February 6, at the home of Mrs. Donald Drorbaugh, 5520 Palos Verdes Blvd.

PTA COUNCIL: The nominating committee for the Gardena-Wilmington PTA council will meet February 4 at the home of Mrs. A. J. Blake, 15408 Haas ave., Gardena, at 12 noon. Members of the committee are Meses Richard Crowell, Clem Butler, John Raschke, and Glenn Meyers.

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